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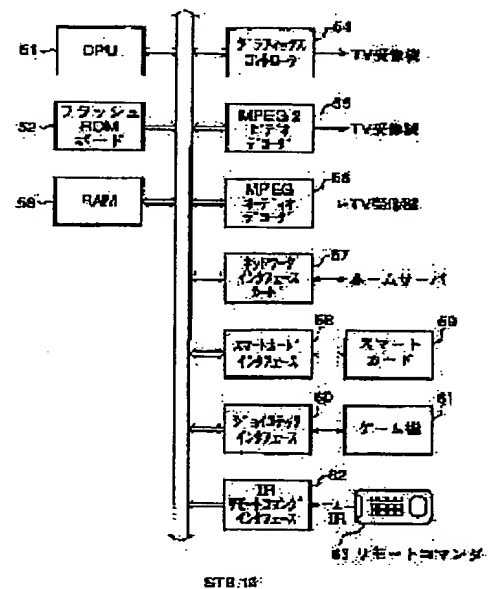
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(54) INFORMATION PROCESSOR, PROGRAM UPDATING METHOD AND INFORMATION PROCESSING SYSTEM

(57)Abstract:

PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To update BIOS(basic input/output system) after storing original BIOS in a prescribed storing area.

SOLUTION: BIOS stored in the bank A of the flash ROM of a flash ROM board 52 is moved to a bank B, and new BIOS supplied for a network interface card 57 from a home server is stored in the bank A to update BIOS. When new BIOS does not operate satisfactorily, BIOS in the bank B of flash ROM is moved to the bank A through RAM 53 to recover original BIOS.



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